



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. *3852*

Name *Thomas Southcott* Corps *Pres.*

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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|--|---------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <i>Thomas Southcott</i> .....      |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <i>Grand Falls</i> .....           |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <i>Yes</i> .....                   |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <i>19</i> Years ..... Months ..... |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <i>Printer/Writer</i> .....        |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <i>No</i> .....                    |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? .....                              | 7. <i>No</i> .....                    |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <i>Yes</i> .....                   |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....   | 9. <i>Yes</i> .....                   |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?....                                       | 10. Name .....<br>Corps .....         |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... | II. <i>Yes</i> .....                  |

I, *Thomas Southcott* ..... do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

*F12-6-17*

*Thomas Southcott* ..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
*Brendan Sinnott* ..... Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

*Thomas Southcott* ..... do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at *St Johns* on this *12* day of *June* ..... 191*7*

Signature of Attesting Officer *[Signature]*

### †CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the .....  
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date ..... 191*7*

Place ..... } Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.  
‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

\* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name) ..... re-enlisted in the (Regiment) ..... on the (Date) .....

3852



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No. 3852 Name Thomas Southcott Corps Bres

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| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Thomas Southcott</u> .....         |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Grand Falls</u> .....              |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>yes</u> .....                      |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>19</u> Years <u>—</u> Months ..... |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Paper Maker</u> .....              |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>No</u> .....                       |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....                             | 7. <u>No</u> .....                       |
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|  | { Corps .....                            |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... | 11. <u>yes</u> .....                     |

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F12-6-17

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Brendan Sunneth ....., Signature of Witness.

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Signature of Attesting Officer John Dent .....

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Date ....., 191 .....

Place .....

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## DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Name Thomas Southcott  
 Apparent age 19 years — months. Height 5 feet 6 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

### INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Arthur Southcott  
Grand Falls | Relationship Father

#### Particulars as to Marriage

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.  
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

#### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

### STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limit of engagement reckons from <u>12-6-17</u>									Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>June 12<sup>th</sup> 17</u>									
<del>Killed in Action</del>									
<del>14/4/18</del>									
Embarked <u>St. John's N. B.</u> to <u>Halifax N.S.</u> <u>3-7-18</u> Embarked for <u>St. E. 24-3-18</u> <u>Queen Charles Street</u> <u>29-3-18</u>									
<u>James Battalion</u> <u>4-4-18</u>									
<del>Killed in Action</del>									
<del>12-4-18</del>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>12-4-18</u> [date of discharge] <u>—</u> years <u>305</u> days									
" " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "									



C.R. 3952

extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
Depot St. John's dated 17-7-19.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation has been  
CONFIRMED by officer i/c Records from noted date  
17-7-19.

3952, Sgt. Edgar Metcalfe.

C.R. 3852

May 1st. 1919.

Mr. Alex W. Dean,  
3 Mill Road.  
Grand Falls.

Dear Sir:-

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 22nd. requesting notification of the deaths of No. 3942 Pte. Maurice Connors and No. 3852 Pte. Thomas Southcott. With reference to the last named man, I am enclosing official notifications of his death in the form of a telegram received from the Chief Paymaster, London, through the Geneva Red Cross Society, it has undoubtedly been proved that this man was officially killed in action.

With reference to Pte. Southcott, I am afraid I cannot give you any official information which you require. However, I am enclosing statement of Lieut. Moore of the royal Newfoundland Regiment, who was near Southcott at the time he was killed. That is all the information we have concerning the death of this man, which I trust will be satisfactory to your society.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.

Casualty Officer.

C.R. 3852

Grand Falls, Nfld. April 22, 1919.

Mr. W. Benne tt,  
St. John's.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly favour us with the Official notification of the deaths of Mr. Maurice Connors also Mr. Thomas Connors of Grand Falls. The notification received some time ago were not sufficient proove in order for the beneficiaris in these two cases to receive the small insurance that is connected with our Union and which upon proper proof of death they are entitled to. The former notification were worded "Beleived to be ~~killd~~" dead"

Trusting a more favourable reply.

*I am yours's Right*  
Mr. Alexander <sup>W</sup> Been,

#3 Mill Road.

Grand Falls.

Fin. Sec. I.B. at P.M.



C.R. 3852

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office, London,  
dated Feb. 19th/19.

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3852 Pte. T. Southcott.

Information to B.R.C. from Lieut L. Moore. (eye Witness).

"I saw Southcott drop beside me on April 12th  
"South of Nieppe at noon. I think he was hit  
"by machine gun fire, the bullets fell like  
"rain. I should think he was killed instantan-  
"eously. I was wounded at noon directly after-  
"wards, and when the Germans took me away at 8  
"o'clock his body was still lying there. I was  
"taken prisoner. Southcott came from Grand Falls,  
"the same place as myself."

Authority:  
British Red Cross Society.

C.R. 3852

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, May 20th, 1918.

3852 Pte. T. Southcott.

W & Missing 12.4.18.

M.M.

C.R. 3852

R  
25/11/18



November 19th, 1918.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith letter under date 15th inst. from Mr. A. W. Dean, Financial Secretary of Grand Falls Local No. 88, International Brotherhood of Paper Makers, who desires, for the purposes of that organization, to be furnished with official notification of the deaths of Maurice Connors and Thomas Southcott, of Grand Falls, who were Killed in Action.

Kindly arrange that the necessary documents shall be furnished.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

*W. W. Halford*  
Colonial Secretary.

*1 copy Phase*

J. R. Bernett, Esq.,  
Minister of Militia.

# Grand Falls Local No. 88

International Brotherhood

of Paper Makers

PRINTED ON UNION-MADE PAPER.  
LOOK FOR THE WATER MARK.



INTERNATIONAL HEADQUARTERS  
25 SOUTH HAWK ST., ALBANY, N. Y.

Grand Falls, Nfld. *Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>* 1918

Colonial Secretary  
St. Johns  
Dear Sir.

Will you kindly furnish me with the official notification of the death of Mr. Maurice Cameron also Mr. Thomas Southcott of Grand Falls, as I understand they were both killed in active service at the front, and our Union has a small insurance connected with it and we have kept the dues paid up to date, therefore, by proper evidence of the death of these two brothers, their people will get a small insurance.

Awaiting a quick reply. I hope  
As Are. J. B. of. P. Nf.

A. H. Hean

Fin. Sec. Grand Falls

Box #10

Nfld

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



## Cable Connection with all the World

### All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

**(NOT TRANSMITTED)**

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address **Dept of Militia.**

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated* **Nov. 9th, 1918**  
*To* **Arthur Southcott, Grand Falls.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports **No. 3852, Private Thomas Southcott** previously reported wounded and missing April 10th now presumed dead Nov. 8th

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

**J.R. Bennett**  
Minister of Militia.  
**Chge Dept of Militia.**

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This Message is not to be delivered until Receiving Office notifies that Message to **Presbyterian Minister** of School Teacher, Grand Falls  
has been received and acted upon  
**FOR TYPEWRITER**

CR 3852  
Column No.

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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **Nov. 9th, 1918**

To **Presbyterian Minister or School Teacher, Grand Falls.**

Regret to inform you Record Office, London reports to-day No. 3852, Private Thomas Southcott previously reported wounded and missing April 12th now presumed dead Nov 8th. Please inform next of kin Arthur Southcott.

J.R. Bennett  
Minister of Militia

Chge Dept of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 3852

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record  
Office, London dated Nov. 8th 1918.

Previously reported "Wounded and Missing 12/4/18"  
nor Presumed Dead (8/11/18) as from 12/4/18:

3852 Pte T. Southcott.

Authority:-

Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Contingent.

C.R. 3852

EXTRACT FROM TELEGRAM FROM SYNOPTICAL DATED NOV. 9th., 1916.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED AND MISSION APRIL 12th., NOW  
PRESUMED DEAD NOVEMBER 8th., 3852 SOUTHCOFF.



C.R. 3852  
Counter No.

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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**(NOT TRANSMITTED)**

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept of Militia

Line Number _____	Rcd _____	By _____	Sent _____	by _____	Check _____
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Dated May 21st, 1918

To Arthur Southcott, Grand Falls.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports No. 3852, Private Thomas Southcott wounded and missing April 12th.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

W.F. Rendall, Major,  
C.S.O.

For Minister of Militia.

C.R. 3852

Extract of Casualties from Pay and Record Office, London dated  
20th May 1918.

3852 Pte. Southcott

Wounded and Missing 12-4-18.

Authority: O.C. Bn. 12-5-18.

C.R. 3852

Extract from Telegram received from London, dated  
May 20th, 1918.

Reported Wounded & Missing April 12th #3852 Southcott.

C.R. 3852

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Nfld. Regt. in the field, dated May 18, 1918.

#3852 Pte. T. Southcott.

Wounded and Missing April 12, 1918.

C.R. 3852

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Extract of Nominal Roll of Draft No. 40; 80 Other Ranks from  
2nd. Bn., Royal Newfoundland Regiment, Winchester, to 1st. Bn.,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment, P. E. F.

Embarked Southampton, 27/5/18.

3852 Pte. T. Southcott.

CR 3852

Extract from Nominal Roll "~~XXXXXXXXXX~~" Embarked St. John's,  
for Overseas, per S.S. FARRIZEL, Oct. 3, 1917.

3852 Pte. T. southcott.

C.R. 3852

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal  
Mfld. Regt., St. John's, June.12th, 1917.

3852 Pte. T. Southcott.

Attested this day, post ed F. Coy, and assigned number  
as shown.

D. 3852

June 28th. 1917.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of June 26th. I beg to state that Thos. Henry Southcott was attested on June 12th. and assigned Regimental No. 3852.

His city address is 12 George St.

Yours truly,

Copy

Sgt. J. J. Grady

H.C. Hanson, Esq.,

Capt. & Adjutant.

Chief Accountant,

Anglo Nfld. Development Co. Ltd.,

Grand Falls.



# Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co., Ltd.

[INCORPORATED IN NEWFOUNDLAND]

Form 29

GRAND FALLS, NEWFOUNDLAND.

"Daily Mail" and "Daily Mirror" Paper Mills

LONDON OFFICE

"THE FLEETWAY HOUSE"  
FARRINGTON ST., E.C.

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

CABLE ADDRESS

"ANDOPIAN" LONDON  
"ANDOPIAN" GRAND FALLS

GRAND FALLS, June 26th./17

CODES USED

A 1.  
A.E.C. 5th EDITION  
WESTERN UNION AND  
ENGINEERING.

Capt. J. J. O'Grady,  
Adjutant 1st. Newfoundland Regiment,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly let me know if  
Thomas Henry Southcott, who left here on or about the  
10th. of June, was accepted and is now serving in the  
Regiment.

Yours truly,

*H. C. H. / MW*

Dict. HCH/MW

# 3452  
June 27/17  
JUN 28 AM 56

..  
T. Southcott

C.R. 3852

~~S.R.D.~~

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Southcott OF Christian Name Thomas

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Grand Falls County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	12 day of June 1917	Headquarters	day of	191
Declared Age	19 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	Paper Maker			
Height	5 feet 6	inches	feet	inches
Weight	114	lbs.		lbs.
Chest (Girth when fully expanded)	34	inches		inches
Measurement (Range of Expansion)	4	inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
Number	—	12		
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	4/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	4/6	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	Ramon Paterson			
(Rank)	Major			
		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St John's	at	
	on	day of June 191	on	day of 191
		Corps.		Corps.
		Regtl. No.		Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	187529 3853			
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



No. 3652



1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Mr Sourcott, Regl. No. 3852

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of          Dollars and Seventy Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person and or Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person and or Persons concerned, viz :

Allotment begins October 1<sup>st</sup> 1917

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3166	Wife	Mr Sourcott	Grand Falls	60
Total Allotment, \$				60

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) *W. H. ...*  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company  
*W. H. ...*  
 Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1917

(Sig.) *...*  
 (Rank) *76*



No. 3652



# 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Thos. Southcott, Regl. No. 3652

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Sixty Dollars and Sixty Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins October 1<sup>st</sup> 1917

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3166	Mother of	John (now) Southcott	Grand Falls	60
Total Allotment, \$				60

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) [Signature]  
Officer Commanding  
[Signature] Company  
Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1917

(Sig.) Thomas Southcott  
(Rank) 76

C

No. 3802 Name *Plc Southcott* } Sqn., Batty., }  
or Company }

Corps *2<sup>nd</sup> Royal Newfls*

Date of enlistment } *12. 6. 17*

G.C. Badges }

Service or Proficiency Pay }

Date of last entry in }  
Company Conduct Sheet }

No. and date }  
of last drunk }

Period not reckoning towards }  
freedom from extra fine }

Sheet No.

Signature O.C. }  
Company, etc. }

*S. F. Garland*  
*2nd Lieut*

Character

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks

*Missing*  
*12/18*

ARMY FORM B. 122

(P.T.O)

**PAY LIST.**

to

**191 . Voucher No.**

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.**

Regiment or corps

No. **3852**

Rank

**Private**

Name

**Southcott, T.**

Died <sup>(a)</sup> **Intestate** at **France**.

on the **12<sup>th</sup>** of **April** 191**5.**

Deserted at

on the          of          191 **.**

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

\_\_\_\_\_  
{ Commanding Squadron, Troop,  
Battery or Company.

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.**

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month .....				Balance Cr. last month <b>..12 4..18..</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated) <span style="float: right;">£ s. d.</span>				Pay days at          from          to			
					Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at          from          to			
					Messing allowance          days at from          to			
					Kit allowance .....			
					Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2 .....			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity .....			
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<b>1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	Balance due to the Paymaster .....			
		<b>£ 1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>		<b>£ 1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>

COPIED BY  
O.C. H.Q.  
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
DATE **20 MAR 1915**  
DATED **20 MAR 1915**

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I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of **£ 1 17 10** is correctly chargeable against the Public <sup>(b)</sup>.

Dated at

this          day of

LONDON, E.W.

20 MAR 1915

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Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.

(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.



1 (?) Royal Newfoundlands.

Southcott, T. 3852

M. April 12/18.

I saw Southcott drop beside me on April 12th, South of Nieppe at noon. I think he was hit by machine gun fire, the bullets fell like rain. I should think he was killed instantaneously. I was wounded at noon directly afterwards, and when the Germans took me away at 5 o'clock his body was still lying there. I was taken prisoner. Southcott came from Grand Falls, the same place as myself."

Eyewitness. Yes.

Description. About 5'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " a nice looking boy, very clean looking.

Informant. Lieut. L. Moore,  
1 Royal Newfoundlands. C 9  
3rd London General Hosp.  
Wandsworth.

Home address.  
Grand Falls,  
Newfoundland.

E.A. Woolmer. 23/1/19.

*Extracted for casualty 1919*

Wounded  
and  
Missing  
app 11/2/18

137 Hermitage St.

Richton  
1/2 Blackburn  
4/6/18

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
REG. NOS. IN	✓ 5099
REC'D 6 - JUN 1918	
BY	Att'd
CLASS	—
COMP	—
P	—
R.E.C	—
B & F	—
P.P.	—

Dear Sir  
3852 St. Tom Southcott,  
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.

Please ~~could you~~ supply me  
with any information in respect  
of the above mentioned soldier  
who was serving with the B.E.F.  
France.

I may add that nothing has  
been heard of him for the past  
2 months and I should be  
greatly obliged for any information  
that would lead to his present  
whereabouts.

I am yours Truly,  
Mrs. J. Abbott.

Southcott, T.

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ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.**

Regiment or corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

No. 3852

Rank Private

Name Southcott T.

Died intestate

at France

on the 12th of April

1918 .

Deserted at

on the of

191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commaning Squadron, Troop,  
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.	
	Balance Dr. last month .....				Balance Cr. last month 12/4/18.....	1	17	10	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to				
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to				
	191				Messing allowance days at from to				
	"				Kit allowance .....				
	"								
	Consolidated stoppage .....								
	Balance due by the Paymaster	1	17	10	Balance due to the Paymaster .....				
		£	1	17	10	£	1	17	10

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED  
P.S.L.  
19 MAR 1919

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular and that the debtor balance of £ 1 17 10 is correctly chargeable against the Public (B)

Dated at

this

day of

191

Paymaster.

- (a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
- (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

ORIGINAL.

Army Form G 1912

PAY LIST

to

191 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

No. 5852

Rank Private

Name Southcott T.

Died Intestate

at France

on the 12th of April

1918

Deserted at

on the of

191

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

(Form 1.)

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	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)	£	s.	d.	Pay days at from to			
					Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
					Messing allowance days at from to			
					Kit allowance .....			
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	1	17	10	Balance due to the Paymaster .....			
		£	1	17	10			
						£	1	17
								10

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to 9 MAR 1919 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED P.S.A. 19 MAR 1919

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular and that the debtor balance is the amount actually chargeable to the account.

Dated at

19 MAR 1919

Obs

Signature of Paymaster

- (1) Here state whether the account is payable, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2259 or Army Form G. 1912.
- (2) Where he failed to be struck out when there is no debit balance.

DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.**

Regiment or corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

No. 3852

Rank Private

Name Southcott T.

Died (a) Intestate

at France

on the 12th of April

1918.

Deserted at

on the of

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I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

( Commanding Squadron, Troop,  
Battery or Company. )

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.**

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month .....				Balance Cr. last month <u>12/4/18</u> .....	1	17	10
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to .....			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to .....			
	191				Messing allowance days at from to .....			
	"				Kit allowance .....			
	"							
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	1	17	10	Balance due to the Paymaster .....			
	£	1	17	10	£	1	17	10

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED  
P.P.A.  
19 MAR 1919

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 1 17 10 is correctly chargeable against the Public Contingent.

Dated at

this

day of

191

19 MAR 1919

CHIEF PAYMASTER  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF PAYMASTER

- (a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
- (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps/Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
 No. 3852 Rank Private Name Southcott T.  
 Died Intestate at France on the 12th of April 1918.  
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I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop,  
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

(Form 1)

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	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to .....			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to .....			
	191				Missing allowance days at from to .....			
	"				Kit allowance .....			
	"							
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster .....	1	17	10	Balance due to the Paymaster .....			
		£	1	17		£	1	17

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Record Office to 19/MAR 1919 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

RECEIVED.  
 P.P.A.  
 19 MAR 1919

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the above balance is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this

19 MAR 1919

(4) Here state whether the above is a debit, or whether it is a credit. In the latter case the WR should be presented, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B, 2000 or Army Form G, 1815.  
 (5) There is to be struck out when there is no debit balance.

No 3652



1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Thos Southcott

Regl. No. 3852

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz :

Allotment begins October 1<sup>st</sup> 1917

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3166	Mother	of <u>Thos Southcott</u>	Grand Falls	60
Total Allotment, \$				60

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) W. H. ...

Officer Commanding Company

Thos Southcott  
10 Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1917

(Sig.) Thomas Southcott

(Rank) Pvt



May 12, 1919

Mrs. Laura Southcott,  
GRAND FALLS.

Dear Madam:

I enclose herewith cheque for  
\$18.20, amount of balance of estate of late  
Pte. T. Southcott, due you as Administratrix.

Yours truly,

Capt.  
Paymaster & O i/c Records.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 18 <sup>20</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

May 6 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of eighteen <sup>20</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
~~or amount~~ of Pay. Estate  
balance

Ch. No.	19290	Initials	Est
Pay Ledger	135	Initials	Est
Gen. Ledger		Initials	

Regtl. No.

Rank

No. 3832

Rank

Pt

Name

J Southcott

Laura Southcott (with)

Grand Falls

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

OFFICER i/c RECORDS,

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.



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3852  
540301

To ensure that as far as may be possible none of the next of kin of those who have fallen in the War shall fail to receive the Memorial Plaque, it is requested that on receipt of the enclosed Plaque this card be signed at the bottom and posted. No stamp is required.

*Mrs L. Southcott*

Fold Here

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.*

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Fold Here



SEP 23 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**  
is/are forwarded herewith to

Mr. Arthur Southcott (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 3852 Rank Pte.

Name Thomas Southcott Royal Nfld. Regt.  
~~1st Bn. 1st Div. 1st Regt.~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Victory Medal & British War Medal

Signature A. Southcott

Date Oct 3 / 21

Address River View Grand Falls.

[P.T.O.]

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps *Royal Newfoundland*  
 Rank *Pte* Surname *Southwell* Christian Name .....  
 Religion *Pres* Age on Enlistment *19* years ..... months  
 Enlisted (a) *12.6.17* Terms of Service (a) *duration* Service reckons from (a) *12.6.17*  
 Date of promotion to present rank ..... Date of appointment to lance rank .....  
 Extended (.....) Re-engaged (.....) Qualification (b) .....  
 or Corps Trade and Rate .....  
 Occupation *Paper Maker* *Legal and 2nd Lieut* Signature of Officer.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.113, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.113, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Joined Battalion <i>4.4.18</i>	Embarked ...	<i>27 MAR 1918</i>	
			Disembarked...	<i>29 MAR 1918</i>	
<i>12/5/18</i>	<i>Co. Dr.</i>	<i>Wounded + missing</i>		<i>12.4.18</i>	<i>6213</i>

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.